NUISANCE/DANGEROUS ANIMAL COMPLAINT FORM

NOTICE: YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO TESTIFY UNDER OATH AS THE COMPLAINING WITNESS IF THIS MATTER PROCEEDS TO TRIAL IN MUNICIPAL COURT.

This form must be filled out completely. **DO NOT LEAVE ANY QUESTIONS BLANK.** If questions are not applicable, enter "N/A". If answers are unknown, enter "UNK". This form must be signed and dated when completed. Completed forms must be submitted to the Cedar Park Police Department or Municipal Court, 911 Quest Parkway, Cedar Park, Texas 78613, or to any Cedar Park Animal Control Officer or Police Officer.

Your Name:	_	
Phone: ()		
Ani	mal/Owner Information:	
Animal Owner Name:		
Animal Owner Address:		Name:
	Color:	
Phone: ()	lbs	Age:
	Incident Information:	
Date(s) of Incident:		
Time(s) of Incident:	imal):	
Other Witnesses to Incident:		
Name:	Name:	
Address:		
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Description of Incident and Comments (See reverse	e side for nuisance conduct/condition	ns):
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Have you previously notified an Animal Control O If yes, the please list contact names and dates:		
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Signature	Date	

CITY OF CEDAR PARK, TEXAS CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 2 – ANIMAL CONTROL

ARTICLE 2.01 – ADMINISTRATION AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 2.01.001 - Definitions

<u>Public Nuisance or Public Nuisance Animal.</u> Any Animal within the City that unreasonably disturbs, annoys, or alarms persons of ordinary sensibility, endangers the public health, safety, or welfare, or substantially interferes with the rights of citizens to quiet enjoyment of life or property, including but not limited to:

- (A) An Animal that makes disturbing noises, including but not limited to, continued and repeated howling, barking, whining, meowing, crowing, or other utterances in an excessive, continuous or unreasonable fashion or at unreasonable hours, causing annoyance, disturbance, or discomfort to, or disrupting the quiet enjoyment of neighbors or others in close proximity to the premises where the Animal is kept or harbored;
- (B) Any Dog in a park or public recreation area, unless the Dog is controlled by a leash or similar physical restraint or within a designated Off-Leash Area within a City park facility, in compliance with posted rules at such City Park facility and/or Off-Leash Area;
- (C) Any Animal that damages any property other than that of its Owner;
- (D) Any Animal that defecates on any common thoroughfare, street, sidewalk, passageway, road bypass, play area, park or any place where people congregate or walk upon any public property whatsoever, or upon any private property without the permission of the private property owner, if the Owner of such an Animal that soils, defiles, or defecates on any of the above areas fails to immediately remove the pet feces and droppings and place them in a designated waste receptacle or other suitable waste container:
- (E) Any Animal that is found At Large more than three (3) times;
- (F) Any Animal that causes unsanitary conditions in enclosures or surroundings where the Animal is kept or harbored, or that causes noxious or offensive odors which would be unreasonably annoying or discomforting to neighbors or others in close proximity to the premises where the Animal is kept or harbored;
- (G) Any female Animal in heat (estrus) that is not confined so as to prevent attraction or contact with Animals other than the Owner's, unless for the purpose of planned breeding in compliance with all local, state, and federal laws;
- (H) Any Animal, whether or not on the property of its Owner and without reasonable provocation, that approaches and hisses, barks, or growls at a person in an angry, threatening, and ill-tempered manner and causes that person to have an immediate reasonable fear of bodily injury, that bites, snaps at, or attacks a person or otherwise interferes with the freedom of movement of persons in a public right-of-way, or that attacks and seriously injures or kills another Animal that was properly confined, restrained, or under the physical control of its Owner as required by this Chapter;
- (I) Any Dog or Cat that: (A) makes an unprovoked attack on a person that causes bodily injury and occurs in a place other than an enclosure in which the Dog or Cat was being kept and that was reasonably certain to prevent the Dog or Cat from leaving the enclosure on its own; or (B) commits unprovoked acts in a place other than an enclosure in which the Dog or Cat was being kept and that was reasonably certain to prevent the Dog or Cat from leaving the enclosure on its own and those acts cause a person to reasonably believe that the Dog or Cat will attack and cause bodily injury to that person;
- (J) Any Animal that chases motor vehicles in a public right-of-way;
- (K) Any Dog in violation of posted rules governing a City park facility and/or Off-Leash Area;
- (L) Any Dangerous Wild Animal, as defined by Section 822.101, Texas Health & Safety Code, or this Section, as amended; or
- (M) Any Animal that is a threat to public health, safety or welfare by virtue of the number of Animals maintained at a single property and the inadequacy of the care, conditions, or facilities.